

SOCIETY

News of an interesting engagement comes from Quincy, Ill., announcing the forthcoming marriage of Miss Mary Bert and Mr. Neal Monroe, both of Quincy. The marriage will take place some time during the coming spring.

The announcement carries with it a good deal of interest to Topeka people, for Miss Bert, who is a granddaughter of the late Mr. Archibald Williams, has frequently visited her aunt, Mrs. J. F. Jarrell, and Mrs. Z. T. Hazen in Topeka. She has spent a good deal of time with Mrs. Jarrell since the death of her mother, who was brought up in Topeka and made her home here before her marriage.

Mr. Monroe belongs to a wealthy family of Quincy, and he and his bride expect to make their home in that city.

Arrangements for the wedding have not yet been made, but it is likely that the marriage will be solemnized in Topeka, at Mrs. Jarrell's home.

Announcement has been made by Mrs. J. K. Rankin of Lawrence of the engagement of her daughter, Gretchen, to Mr. Orville Hilton Warner of Garden City, Kan. The marriage will be quietly celebrated Thursday, March 19, at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. E. R. Gafford, and Mr. Gafford, of San Antonio, Texas.

The announcement is of interest to a number of Topeka young people, for Miss Rankin is a frequent visitor here. She was a student in the State university, where some pupils from Topeka were her schoolmates. Lately she has been on the reportorial staff of one of the Lawrence papers. She will leave Lawrence for San Antonio in about two weeks.

Shown here is a pretty little dress which may be appropriately copied for any little girl whose age is between five and ten. The frock sketched was of Jouy crepe having a cream ground while the bunches of flowers were in shades of pink. Fine cream net was used for the double collar revers and shawl. The revers



widened into a deep rounded collar at the back, which fell over another square collar beneath. The plain long waisted blouse portion was gathered into a pleated skirt of the material. The girdle of crushed taffeta passed beneath a pointed tab held by black velvet buttons which was a continuation of the center box pleat of the skirt.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Miller will entertain at a dinner party tonight at their home in Buchanan street.

Mrs. George Clark will entertain the Fillmore Street Whist club Thursday of next week.

The dinner party and evening meeting of the Minerva club, which was announced for Monday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Curtis, has been indefinitely postponed.

The members of the Topeka Avenue club with the high scores during the season, will be entertained Friday by the members with the low scores.

Mrs. Harrison Morgan will be hostess at a meeting of the Art club Monday of next week. Roll call will be answered by current events. The study of the afternoon will be of Dante Gabriel Rossetti, and the members on the program are: Mrs. Chester Woodward, Mrs. David Palmer and Mrs. Norman Wear.

Some of the young people of the high school and college crowd will have a dancing party next Thursday night at Kellam hall.

Mrs. Albert Patten and Mrs. A. B. Patten gave a party this afternoon at the Patten home, 1023 Western avenue, for little Elizabeth Patten in celebration of her sixth birthday anniversary. The birthday cake stood on the table lighted with six little candles. Tiny drums filled with candy were given as favors to the boys, and the girls were given fancy boxes in various shapes filled with candy.

The children who attended were: Elizabeth Patten, Virginia Mills, Jane Medlicott, Elizabeth Spear, Elizabeth Anderson, Jean St. John, Bertha

BEAUTY AT SUFFRAGE HEADQUARTERS



Miss Mildred Koonce.

The women in charge of the headquarters of the Congressional union, one of the two suffrage organizations at Washington, have the right hunch. They believe that one of the best ways to win sympathy for their cause is to have plenty of bright, pretty girls working for it. Following out this idea, they regard Miss Mildred Koonce as one of their most effective workers. She is found at the Washington headquarters every day, and her whole soul is in the cause.

Pratt, Vivien Pratt, Marjorie Robinson, Isabel Crawford, Mary Rodgers, Betty Frost, Aileen Milam, Marian Reid, Harriet Lucile Nicholson, Elizabeth Mulvane, Katherine Mulvane, Mary Elizabeth Stitt, Madge Brewster, Anna Sara Brewster, Margaret Kaye, Margot Dillon, Gloria Petrik, Henry Alden, Jimmie Mohler, John Mohler, Thomas Woodward, Webb Woodward, Harrison Morgan, James Knowles, Donald Knowles, Thomas Crosby, Warren Crosby, Phillip Kaye, Mac Forbes, John Dillon, Clifford Baker, Rudine Medlicott, Thayer Heaton, Billy Heaton, Richard Klene, Robert Maynard and Herbert Hackney.

Miss Pauline Hudson went to Kansas City Friday, to visit her mother, Mrs. J. K. Hudson, and her aunt, Mrs. Anna Hudson Smith. Mrs. Smith will give a musicale tonight in Miss Hudson's honor.

Mrs. James Kirkpatrick gave a dinner party today for her little daughter, Mary Louise, at her home in West Sixth avenue. Mrs. Kirkpatrick was assisted by her daughter, Miss Kirkpatrick, and by Miss Dorothy Bradbury. The guests were: Mary Louise Kirkpatrick, Elizabeth Purdy, Phyllis Hopkins, Mary Kinney, Irene Langhart, Dorothy Scotten, James Stewart, Kenneth Price, George Allen, George Hempstead, John Amos, Hubert Howard and Sheldon Hogeboom.

Mrs. G. F. Worley will speak at the vesper service of the Y. W. C. A. Sunday afternoon on the subject, "The Meaning of Prayer." Mrs. M. F. Raycock will sing Gounod's "O Divine Redeemer."

Mrs. L. A. Evans of Chicago, who is visiting Mrs. T. F. Garver, was an honor guest at an afternoon at bridge Thursday, given by Mrs. Garver. Those who played were: Mrs. Evans, Mrs. Robert Garver, Mrs. C. B. Merriam, Mrs. J. C. Mohler, Mrs. Chester Woodward, Mrs. Tom Frost, Mrs. Albert T. Reid, Mrs. Fred Cole, Mrs. Clyde Miller, Mrs. Gullford Dudley and Mrs. Clifton Heaton.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Foster gave a bridge dinner Friday night for the women of the Elwell club, their husbands, and a few other guests. Ferns and potted plants were used to decorate the tables. Covers were laid for: Mrs. and Mr. J. S. Denn, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Davis, Dr. and Mrs. H. B. Hogeboom, Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Briggs, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Colvin, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hurd, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wetherston, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Leonard, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lyman, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. West, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Sweet, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Petro, Mrs. Della Moreland, Mrs. A. T. Lucas, Miss Dollie Curtis, Mr. Bruce Hurd, Mr. M. O. Locke and Mr. and Mrs. Foster.

A Valentine party was given Thursday night by the pledges of the Kappa Kappa Chi sorority at the home of Miss Martha Whittemore, for the members of the active chapter. Mrs. D. L. MacEachron, who is one of the patronesses of the sorority, and Mrs. L. D. Whittemore assisted in receiving the guests. The pledges who gave the party were: Miss Whittemore, Miss D. L. MacEachron, Miss Ruth Chrysler, Margaret Webb and Miss Myrtle Kesner, and the guests included Miss

Margaret Wellcome, Miss Ruth Woodward, Miss Ruth Kingman, Miss Hermione Van Laer, Miss Fanny Steves, Miss Helen Shirk, Miss Verna Sjolander, Miss Helen Shaver, Miss Irene Dean, Miss Margaret Owen, Miss Frances Woodward, Miss Vera Campbell, Miss Winona Latchey, Miss Edna Reinbach, Miss Mary Helen Shiner, Miss Olive White, Miss Mildred Gephart, Miss Florence Hoover and Miss Cozie Crawford.

A good design to be used for remodeling a young girl's evening gown of pink messaline and shadow lace is the design above. The double row of lace or net which form the modified minaret tunic transform the plain skirt of messaline into one of the most up-to-date lines. Left over lengths may be used to make the deep girdle which is wrapped about the



figure from waist to bust line and held on the left side by a garland of roses. The blouse may be of net or shadow lace as desired, and the sleeve edge and neck are edged with tiny tassels. If net is chosen for bodice and tunic these tassels edge the latter also. A girdle end passes beneath the tunic and hangs at the left side. It is finished with fringe and little silk flowers.

The Sigma Delta Psi girls will give their annual dancing party Friday evening, February 20, at McRae's hall.

Washburn day was celebrated Friday by a reception at Holbrook hall given by Mrs. S. A. Breese, the dean of women, and the girls at the hall from three to five in the afternoon for the other students and for the friends of the college.

Palms were used to decorate the hall, and the stairway was wound with smilax. Bouquets of carnations were used in the rooms open to the guests. College pennants and fraternity and sorority banners were hung in the living room, and the table from which the serving was done, was decorated with bouquets of fern and pink flowers.

Those who stood in the receiving line were: Mrs. Breese, Miss Winifred Cornick, Miss Frances Cornick, Miss Mildred Gephart, Miss Dorothy Dale, Miss Lucile Chandler, Miss Margaret Carroll, Miss Hazel Jones, Miss Ruth Harding and Miss Ruth Chrysler. The young women of the receiving line represented the classes of the collegiate department and the academy.

Mrs. Breese was gowned in lavender velvet trimmed with black velvet. Miss Winifred Cornick wore pink charmeuse trimmed with pink rosebuds and forget-me-nots, and Miss Frances Cornick's dress was blue charmeuse with a trimming of rose colored satin. Miss Gephart wore cream satin draped with shadow lace. Miss Dale's gown was white with embroidered voile made over white satin, and Miss Chandler was dressed in lavender trimmed with

gold lace. Miss Jones was dressed in blue silk and shadow lace; Miss Carroll in white embroidered gown, and Miss Harding in pink charmeuse. Miss Florence Hoover, who introduced the guests, was gowned in white.

Punch was served by Miss Isabel Savage, Miss Gertrude Kluman, Miss Grace Scott, Miss Mary Hill and Miss Irma Erickson. Music was furnished during the afternoon by Miss Alice Pratt, Miss Ruth Harding and Miss Moncrieff, who sang, and Miss Alice Green, Miss Esther Chapin, Miss Margaret Carroll, and Miss Irene Reeves, who gave piano numbers.

Mr. and Mrs. Wistar Williams entertained their bridge club Thursday night.

A suggestion for the painter of china is given in the well designed tea set shown in the group above. The handles, bases and monograms of this excellent set are all of royal blue, outlined (with the exception of the monogram) by a narrow line of gold. Below this is a pretty basket for a place favor which may be made in crepe paper or narrow ribbons. The



usual little stiff paper case is used as foundation and perpendicular wires fence it about. These are wrapped in ribbon of the desired shade, while under and over them narrow ribbons are passed imitating the weaving of a basket. The handle wire is garlanded with little chiffon roses and leaves.

The following young people of the high school and college crowds had a skating party at Music Hall Friday night: Miss Emily Seeds, Miss Carroll Thrall, Miss Dorothy Coe, Miss Helen Harsh, Miss Charlotte West, Miss Margaret Ewers, Miss Antoinette West, Miss Jeanne Lindsay, Miss Ruth Koester, Miss Ruth Foster, Miss Juliette Brown, Miss Mildred Morton, Miss Helen Gephart, Miss Bertha Thompson, Miss Gladys Nell, Miss Dorothy Nichols, Miss Cynthia Monroe, Miss Helen Welby, Miss Mildred Bowman, Miss Lucile Bodner, Miss Neodora Smith, Miss Dorothy Miller, Miss Marian Dana, Miss Margaret Shakeshaft, Mr. Glen Logan, Mr. Adolph Winters, Mr. John Elliott, Mr. John Dean, Mr. George Coe, Mr. Fred Beerbohm, Mr. Sidney Everingham, Mr. Jack Brown, Mr. Frank Fable, Mr. Frank McFarland, Mr. Frank Willard, Mr. George Bailey, Mr. Charles Kouns, Mr. Sam Lux, Mr. Wellington Culver, Mr. John Neely, Mr. Hobart McPherson, Mr. Kenneth Lytle, Mr. Kent Monypenny, Mr. Mike Alt, Mr. Herbert Tucker, Mr. Ed Moor, Mr. Reed Morrison, Mr. Marion Smith, Mr. James Brier, Mr. Ted Lagerstrom, Mr. Chester Wahle, Mr. Bob Ward, Mr. Glen Conklin, Mr. Walter Polak, Mr. William Tomlinson, Mr. Chester Thomas, Mr. Ralph Chamberlain, Mr. George Nettels, Mr. Steve Kauffman, Mr. William Gear, Mr. Seton Hamill, Mr. Damon Gail, Mr. Clyde Mills, Mr. Sam Stewart, Mr. Calvin Truesner, Mr. Roger Savage, Mr. Kenneth Lewis, Mr. Harold Shadinger, Mr. Phil Bowman, Mr. Vernon West and Mr. Charles B. Lyon.

A meeting of the Good Government club will be held Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Y. W. C. A. rooms. An address on the needed legislation in public health work will be given by Dr. S. J. Crumbine.

Miss Gertrude Kluman will speak on nonpartisan primaries, and the women who will take part in the discussion are: Miss Effie Graham, Mrs. George Anthony, Mrs. J. C. Pierson, Mrs. W. H. Bomard, Mr. W. S. Sidwell and Mrs. Lola Replogle.

Miss Ferris Close entertained at cards this afternoon at her home in 1230 Locust street. Those present were: Miss Marie Haynes, Miss Alta Green, Miss Daisy Summers, Miss Elsa Ricketts, Miss Anna Skibbey, Miss Alva Lester, Mr. Henry Renbarger, Mr. Charles Shrike, Mr. Edward Skibbey, Mr. Arthur Green, Mr. Gleason, Mr. Don Shimmel and Mr. Ivan Elliott.

Mrs. Purdy entertained the women of the Needle Craft club Thursday afternoon at her home in Kansas avenue. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Hicks, 711 Lime street.

The regular monthly meeting of the Kansas Authors club was held Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Geo. F. Morehouse on West Eighth street.

"Poets and Poetry of Kansas, Past and Present," proved to be a successful topic and brought out a good attendance—several from outside the city. Among these were Mrs. E. A. Morley Murphy of Goodland, Kan., the vice president of the club in the Sixth district.

Those taking part personally with productions were Mrs. E. Grote, Mrs. Lila Day Monroe, Attorney General John Dawson, Mrs. Eva Black, Mr. Connelley, with an address on Eugene Ware; J. E. Nicolay of Scranton, Mrs. Murphy of Goodland, Mr. Morehouse acted as leader in absence of the chairman of the department.

The tenth annual event of the Kansas Authors club will be its banquet Wednesday evening, February 18, at the Y. W. C. A. building. Indications point to its being one of the greatest literary events in the history of the state. Upon the program will appear a number of well known Kansas authors and literary personages. There will be quite an attendance from outside the city.

The space at the tables is limited and over half of the seats have been engaged. Mrs. Margaret Hill McCarter, the president of the club, will act as mistress of ceremonies and introduce the speakers.

Mrs. Clarence H. Lodge entertained the members of the Au Falt club yesterday afternoon at her home, 515 West Seventh street.

Notes and Personal Mention. Miss Genevieve Herrick, who is a student in the State university, Lawrence, is spending the week and in Topeka.

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held a meeting this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Albrecht Marburg, the chairman, in Harrison street.

The B. C. B. club will meet Monday with Mrs. George Hanley, 1015 Taylor street.

The N. N. S. club will meet Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. James Callahan, 921 Lincoln street.

The Vespucian club met with Mrs. S. G. Zimmerman Thursday. A feature of the program was an address by Mrs. Ward Burlingame, telling something of the early history of Kansas. Mrs. Isabel McArthur gave the story of "The Deserted House," of which she is the author, and Miss Mary Cunningham contributed some piano solos to the afternoon's program.

The next meeting of the club will be held with Mrs. Mortimer Gragg, 1401 East Sixth avenue. There will be a Lincoln Day program under the direction of Mrs. C. R. Nagle and Mrs. C. E. Neil. Roll call will be answered by items concerning Lincoln.

The Research club met with Mrs. E. S. Morse Friday. The program was as follows: "Maceterlinck Characteristics," Mrs. Huston; Review "Bluebird," Mrs. Gasque; Talk, Mrs. James Compare; Maceterlinck, Mrs. Bernard Shaw as to spirit, style and method. Round table, leader, Mrs. Tomson.

Western Sororists will give its annual banquet Saturday night of next week in celebration of Lincoln's birthday.

The G. T. club of Auburndale entertained Friday night at the home of Miss Hazel Green. Those present were: Miss Marie Haynes, Miss Alta Green, Miss Daisy Summers, Miss Elsa Ricketts, Miss Anna Skibbey, Miss Alva Lester, Mr. Henry Renbarger, Mr. Charles Shrike, Mr. Edward Skibbey, Mr. Arthur Green, Mr. Gleason, Mr. Don Shimmel and Mr. Ivan Elliott.

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Mrs. W. A. Sproat has returned from Scranton, where she visited her nephew, Mr. Roy Wyatt.

Mrs. J. F. Scott is spending a few days with friends in Kansas City. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kane of Kansas City are visiting their mother, Mrs. S. A. Umpleby for a few days.

Mrs. Chas. C. Graves and Mrs. W. Homer Ray left for Wichita today for a few days' visit to relatives and friends.

Mrs. Charles S. Lockman will leave Monday for an extended visit to her uncle, Mr. George F. Hutchison, of Hamilton, Ohio.



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